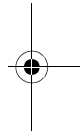
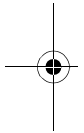




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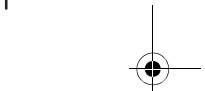
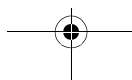


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Your car or transmitter might cause TV or radio interference even when it is operating properly. To determine whether your car or transmitter is causing the interference, turn off the car and release the control levers. If the interference goes away, your car is causing it.

Try to eliminate the interference by:



moving your car and transmitter away from the TV or radio



contacting your local RadioShack store for help

If you cannot eliminate the interference, the FCC requires that you stop using your car.



INSTALLING BATTERIES

Cautions:



Use only fresh batteries of the required size and recommended type.



Do not mix old and new batteries, different types of batteries (standard, alkaline, or rechargeable), or rechargeable batteries of different capacities.



If you do not plan to use the car for a week or more, remove the batteries from the car and transmitter. Batteries can leak chemicals that can damage electronic parts.



Never leave dead or weak batteries in the transmitter or the car.



Dispose of batteries promptly and properly; do not bury or burn them.

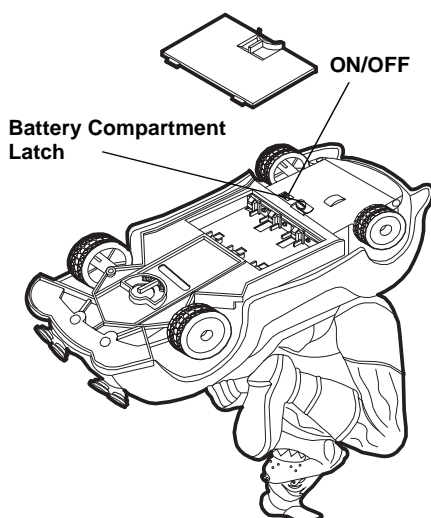
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In the Car

Your Grinch Getaway Car requires six AA batteries (not supplied) for power. For the best performance and longest life, we recommend RadioShack alkaline batteries.

Warning: If you use alkaline batteries to power the car, they can get very hot. To keep from getting burned, wait a few minutes after you stop using the car before you remove the batteries.

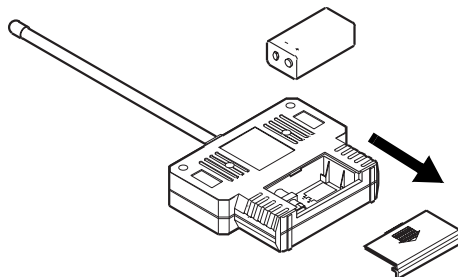


1. Slide **ON/OFF** on the bottom of car to **OFF**.
2. Turn the latch on the battery compartment cover counterclockwise (left) until it stops, then remove it.
3. Place six AA batteries in the battery compartment according to the polarity symbols (+ and -) marked inside.
4. Replace the cover and turn the latch clockwise (right) to secure it.

When the car moves slowly or does not move at all, replace the car's batteries.

In the Transmitter

The transmitter requires one 9V battery for power. For the best performance and longest life, we recommend using a RadioShack alkaline battery.



1. Press **OPEN** on the battery compartment's cover, and slide it in the direction of the arrow to remove it.
2. Snap the battery in the transmitter as indicated by the polarity symbols (+ and -) marked inside.
3. Replace the cover.

When the transmitter's range decreases, replace its battery.

DRIVING THE CAR

Warning: Never play with your Grinch Getaway Car in the street.

1. Slide **ON/OFF** on the bottom of the car to **ON**.
2. Use the transmitter's control levers to steer the car.

Left Control Lever

- Push the lever forward to move the car forward.
- Pull the lever back to move the car backward.
- Release the lever to stop the car.

Right Control Lever

- Push the lever left to move the car left
- Push the lever right to move the car right.
- Release the lever to drive the car straight

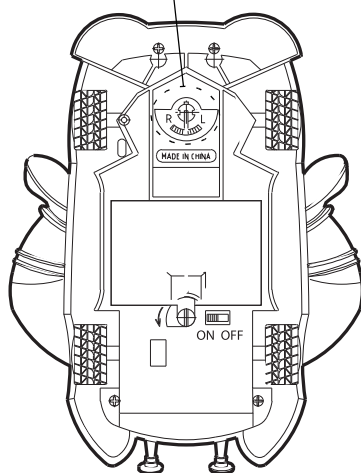
Caution: If the car gets stuck under an object, immediately release the control levers and retrieve the car.

3. When you finish driving the car, slide ON/OFF to OFF.

ADJUSTING THE WHEEL ALIGNMENT

If the car does not drive in a straight line when you release the right control lever, adjust the wheel alignment control on the bottom of the car.

Trim Controls



Turn the control toward L (left) if the car is pulling to the right, or toward R (right) if the car is pulling to the left.

HELPFUL HINTS

These hints can help you get the most enjoyment from your car.

Running your car continuously for long periods generates high heat levels. Heat causes the most wear and tear on the motor. To help keep heat levels down, when your car's batteries run down, let the car cool at least 10 minutes before



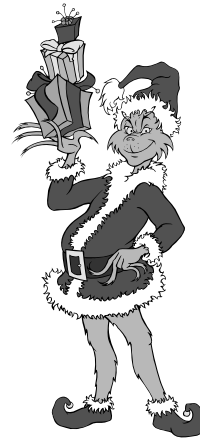
replacing them.

If someone uses a CB nearby, it might interfere with control of the car. If this happens, move the car away from the CB.

You cannot operate your car near devices with transmitters that use the same frequency as your car (27 or 49 MHz).

Be sure the car is not out of the transmitter's range. The range depends on the surroundings and on battery strength. Obstructions such as buildings, fences, and so on, between the transmitter and the car, reduce the range.




If the car moves slowly and you have installed fresh (or fully charged) batteries, check the wheel mechanisms for lint, thread, hair, or dust.







CARE

Your RadioShack Grinch Getaway Car is an example of superior design and craftsmanship. Follow these suggestions to care for your car so you can enjoy it for years.

-  Do not drive the car into puddles or in the rain, mud, sand, or snow. Doing so can damage the car.
-  Do not expose the car or its transmitter to temperature extremes. Do not store them in direct sunlight or near a heat source.
-  Do not leave the car or transmitter outside overnight. Dampness can damage their electronic circuits.

 To protect the car's mechanisms from lint and hair, do not drive the car on carpet.

 Clean the car with a damp cloth to keep it looking new.

Modifying or tampering with the car's or transmitter's internal components can cause a malfunction and might invalidate the warranty and void your FCC authorization to operate them. If your car or transmitter does not work properly, take them to your local RadioShack store for assistance.

USER-REPLACEABLE PARTS

You can order replacement parts for your Grinch Getaway Car at your local RadioShack store. Simply identify the part(s) you need from the list below.

User-Replaceable Parts List

| Description | RSU # |
|--------------------------|----------|
| 27 MHz Transmitter | 12275640 |
| 49 MHz Transmitter | 12275657 |
| Transmitter Battery Door | 10613230 |
| Transmitter Antenna | 10540490 |
| Car Battery Door | 12275624 |
| Front/Rear Tires | 12275632 |
| Car Body Assembly | 12275665 |
| Owner's Manual | 12275681 |
| Service Manual | 12275673 |

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